

October 21, 2014

**RESOLUTION No. 59 OF THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE
CITY OF LITTLE FALLS**

WHEREAS, the Common Council of the City of Little Falls, by Resolution Number 15 of 2014, directed the Traffic Committee of the Common Council to examine the impact, both economic and infrastructure, the Complete Streets designs would have on the City of Little Falls and submit a recommendation with regard to the Complete Streets Program to the Common Council; and

WHEREAS, the Traffic Committee of the Common Council at meeting held on October 16, 2014 passed a resolution making a recommendation to the Common Council of the City of Little Falls to adopt a Complete Streets policy; and

WHEREAS, the Complete Streets design features roadway designs that accommodate and facilitate convenient access and mobility by all users, particularly pedestrians, bicyclists and individuals of all ages and abilities (Highway Law § 331(b)); and

WHEREAS, the Complete Streets design features include, but are not limited to: sidewalks, paved shoulders suitable for use by bicyclists, lane striping, bicycle lanes, share the road signage, crosswalks, road diets, pedestrian control signalization, bus pull outs, curb cuts, raised crosswalks and ramps and traffic calming measures (Highway Law § 331(b)); and

WHEREAS, the Complete Street Act already applies to projects that are undertaken by NYSDOT, or local projects that receive both federal and state funding and are subject to NYSDOT oversight; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Common Council shall consider incorporating the Complete Streets design features and practices in the planning and design process where feasible and where not excepted pursuant to Highway Law § 331(c); and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the City of Little Falls will attempt to draw upon possible funding sources to plan and implement Complete Streets design features when such elements are feasible and not excepted pursuant to Highway Law § 331(c).

This resolution shall take effect upon passing hereof by the Common Council.

Dated: October 21, 2014

Motion **Alderman Gressler**

Second **Alderman Burleson**

Kira Andrilla

Kira Andrilla, City Clerk of the City of Little Falls

Roll Call: Ruffing, Deming, Stransky, Carter, Gevry, Gressler

Nay: Burleson

Absent: DeLuca

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